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"STOP THE TANKS!"





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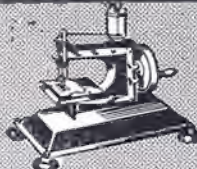
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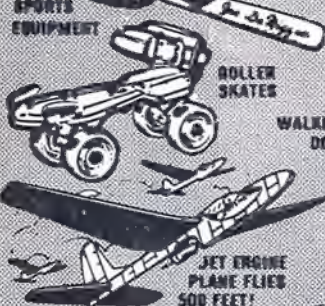
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STOP THE TANKS!

NO MATTER HOW THEY TRIED, THE REDS COULD NOT HALT ABLE COMPANY'S SMASHING DRIVE NORTH OVER KOREA'S RUGGED TERRAIN AND ACROSS THE 38TH PARALLEL! BUT ANOTHER FOE DID WHAT THE REDS COULD NOT DO!

SNOW... IT WAS A BEAUTIFUL SIGHT WHEN IT STARTED...

SNOW... IT WAS UGLY WHEN IT TURNED THE KOREAN EARTH INTO MUD...

SNOW... IT CAME DOWN ALL DAY AND ALL NIGHT...

SNOW... SNOW... SNOW...



IT'S GOT US BOGGED DOWN NOW, CAP'N... **STALLED!** AN' RIGHT AT THE FOOT OF A MOUNTAIN! WE CAN'T GO UP, AN' WE CAN'T GO BACK!

YEAH, SARGE! AND IF EVEN A HANDFUL OF REDS GET TO THAT PEAK FROM THE **OTHER SIDE**, THEY COULD START AN AVALANCHE THAT WOULD GIVE US PLENTY OF TROUBLE!





BUT IF **WE** GET SOME OF OUR DOGGIES UP THERE BEFORE THE REDS DO, CAP'IN, **WE** CAN MAKE TROUBLE FOR THEM, RIGHT?

RIGHT, SARGE... BUT **THAT'S** A MIGHTY BIG **IF!**



MAKING THE CLIMB UP THIS MOUNTAIN WOULD BE A ROUGH DETAIL **WITHOUT** THE SNOW AND ICE! **THIS** WAY, IT'S **IMPOSSIBLE!**

WITH YOUR PERMISSION CAP'IN... ME AN' MY SQUAD WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A TRY!

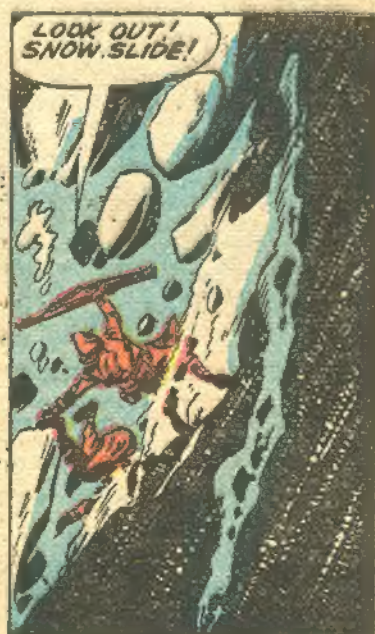


GO AHEAD, SARGE... AND I HOPE YOU MAKE IT!

IT TOOK TWO HOURS OF HACKING, DIGGING, SLIPPING AND SLIDING, FOR THE SQUAD TO CLIMB 25 FEET UP THE TREACHEROUS WALL OF ICE AND SNOW...



AT THIS RATE, WE'LL GET TO THE TOP IN TIME TO SEE THE FLOWERS BLOOMIN', AND... **OOOPS!**



LOOK OUT! SNOW SLIDE!



THEY'RE BURIED IN THE SNOW, CAP'IN!

DIG 'EM OUT... ON THE DOUBLE!



ABLE COMPANY'S ENTRENCHING TOOLS WENT TO WORK LIKE SNOWPLOWS, AND IN A SHORT TIME THE DOGGIES WERE PULLING THE SARGE AND HIS MEN OUT OF THE SNOW...

WE'RE OKAY, THANKS TO YOU GUYS AND THIS CUSHION OF SNOW!

YOU WERE RIGHT, CAP'IN... THIS MOUNTAIN'S IMPOSSIBLE TO CLIMB FROM THIS SIDE!

IMPOSSIBLE FOR *US*, SARGE, BUT *NOT* FOR *U.S. ARMY SNOW TROOPERS* WHO ARE TRAINED IN THE COLORADO ROCKIES FOR THIS STUFF! I'M GOING TO RADIO FOR A PLATOON OF THEM!

THAT'S A TERRIFIC IDEA, CAP'N!



AFTER THE CALL, *ABLE COMPANY* DUG IN AND WAITED, AND IT WAS SO QUIET, THEY COULD HEAR THE SNOWFLAKES DRIPPING...



YOU MADE THE CALL A HALF-HOUR AGO, CAP'N! THAT MEANS IT'LL BE ANOTHER TWO HOURS AT LEAST BEFORE THOSE SNOW TROOPERS GET HERE ALL THE WAY FROM...

SOMEBODY PAGIN' US?



IT'S THE SNOW TROOPERS! WITH THOSE WHITE SUITS AN' SKIS, WE DIDN'T EVEN HEAR 'EM COMIN'!



SERGEANT MASON AND SNOW TROOPERS REPORTING AS REQUESTED, CAPTAIN! WE'RE ONLY A *SQUAD*, SIR! H-Q FIGURED NINE SNOW TROOPERS COULD HANDLE THIS DETAIL! WE'RE READY TO START!

THE CAPTAIN BRIEFED THE *SNOW TROOPERS*, AND THEN *ABLE COMPANY* WATCHED IN AMAZEMENT, AS THE SPECIALLY-TRAINED G.I.'S SCALED THE SNOW AND ICE-COVERED WALL WITH THEIR MOUNTAIN-CLIMBING EQUIPMENT...

WHEN THE *SNOW TROOPERS* REACHED THE TOP AND PEEKED OVER THE LIP OF THE PEAK, THEIR EYES OPENED WIDE AT THE SIGHT THEY SAW...



HEY! LOOK AT THOSE GUYS GO LIKE MOUNTAIN GOATS!



OH-OH! YEAH!

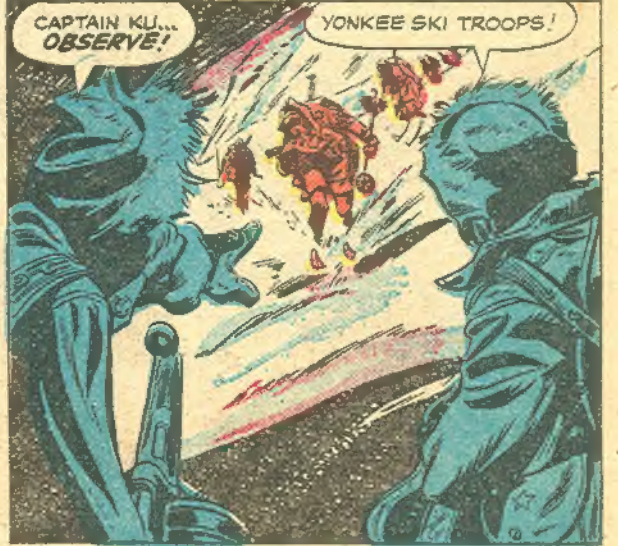




COMMIE SNOW SOLDIERS, CLIMBIN' TO TAKE THIS PEAK!

YEAH! AND YOU KNOW WHAT'LL HAPPEN TO ABLE COMPANY IF THE REDS GET IT! SO LET'S PUT ON OUR SLIPPERY SLATS AND MAKE SURE THEY DON'T!

LIKE NINE SNOWMEN ON SKIS AND WITH .45 AUTOMATICS IN THEIR FISTS, THE G. I. SNOW TROOPERS WENT SPEEDING DOWN THE SLOPE TOWARD THE SNOWSHOEING REDS...



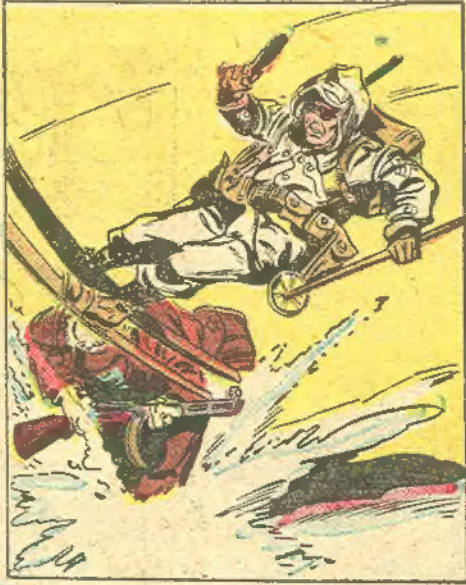
CAPTAIN KU... OBSERVE!

YONKEE SKI TROOPS!



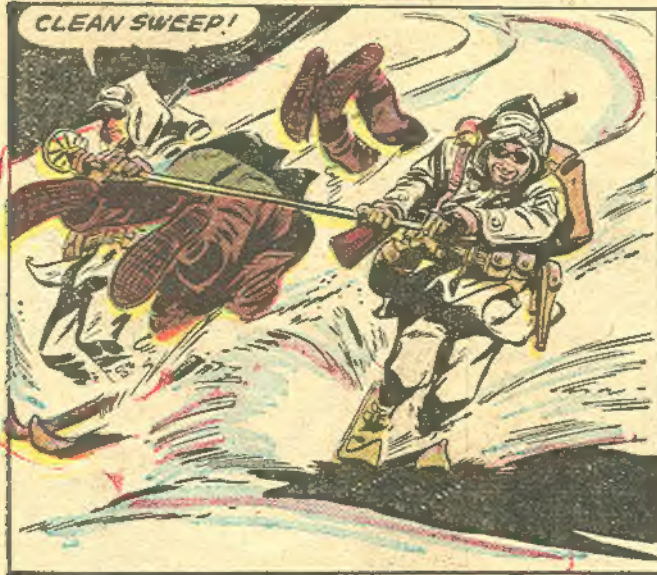
THEY TOO WANT THE HILLTOP, BUT THEY WILL GET SOMETHING ELSE!

BUT BEFORE CAPTAIN KU COULD TICKLE THE TRIGGER...



GRAB THE OTHER END OF MY SKI POLE, CORPORAL!

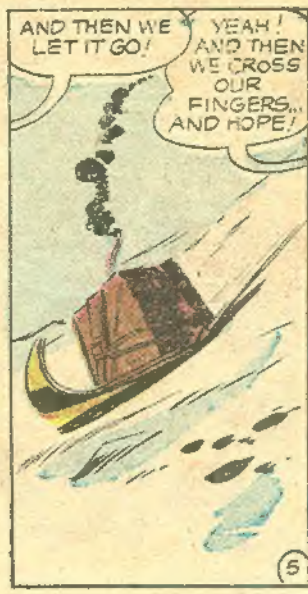
RIGHT!



CLEAN SWEEP!

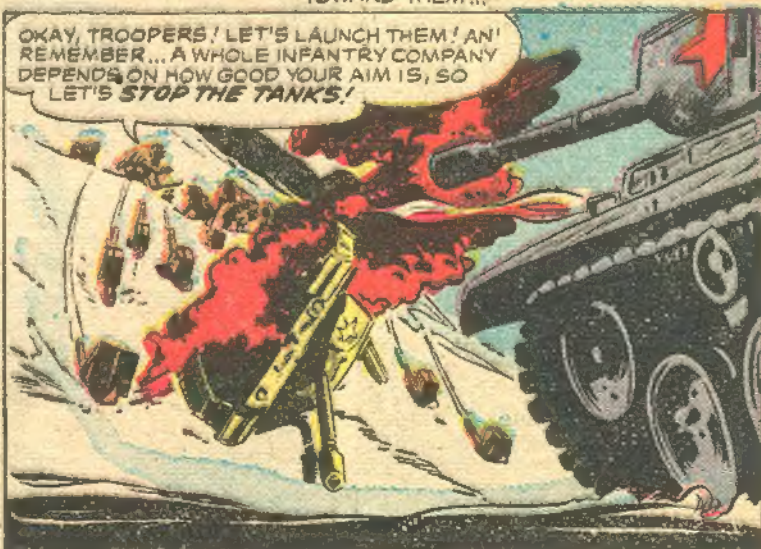


HEY, SARGE! LOOK OUT!





THE G.I. **SNOW TROOPERS** TRADED THEIR SKIS FOR SNOWSHOES, AND A SHORT TIME LATER, THEY HAD SEVENTEEN **SKI-ROCKETS** TO USE AGAINST THE **COMMIE PIG-IRON GIANTS**, CRAWLING UP THE HILL TOWARD THEM...



DOWN THE HILL WENT THE BARRAGE OF **SKI-ROCKETS**, FOLLOWING EACH OTHER LIKE A SCHOOL OF SHARKS! AND WHEN THEY FOUND THEIR PREY, **TANKS** DISAPPEARED IN BIG GULPS...



THAT STOPPED THE **TANKS**! AND THOSE WHICH WEREN'T DESTROYED, TURNED THEIR **86-MM** NOSES AROUND AND CRAWLED AWAY, BACK DOWN THE HILL...

BUT THE **REDS** HAD ENOUGH! THEY MADE NO MORE ATTEMPTS TO TAKE THE PEAK, AND IN TWO DAYS, A THAW CAME, AND **ABLE COMPANY** CAME CLIMBING TO THE TOP...

IF H-Q HAD SENT A **PLATOON** OF THEM AS I REQUESTED, INSTEAD OF A **SQUAD**, THEY MIGHT'VE FINISHED THE WAR!



FOR THE BEST IN WAR TALES. LOOK FOR THE **ATLAS** SEAL ON THE COVER!

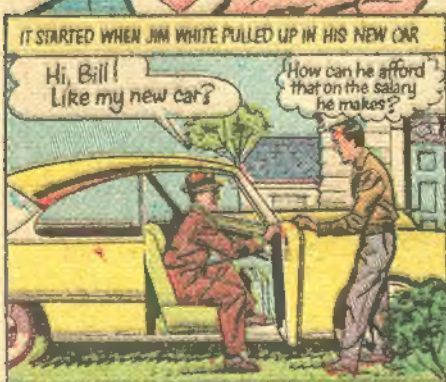


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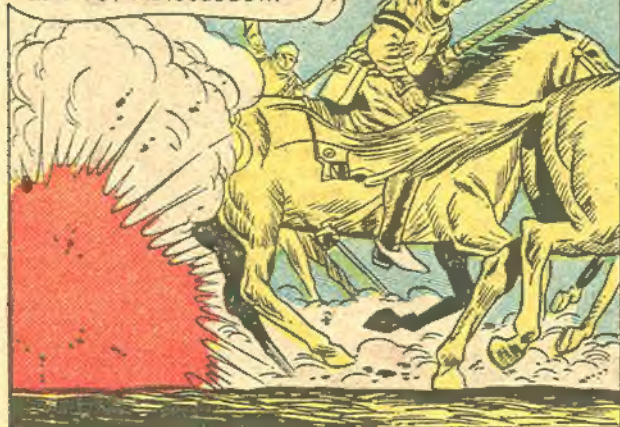
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ATTACK AT DAWN!

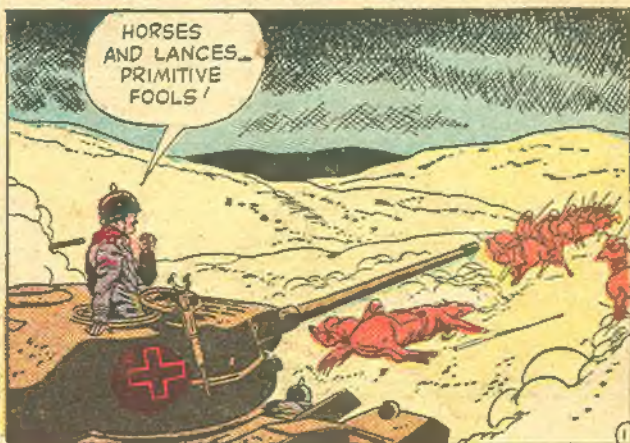
IN 1914, THE GALLANT FRENCH FORCES FACED A MODERN WAR MACHINE, THAT SEEMED A NIGHTMARE FROM A WORLD OF THE FUTURE! THE WORLD HAD NEVER SEEN AN ARMY SUCH AS THIS! FROM THE OPENING GUN, FRANCE'S OWN WAR EQUIPMENT WAS SO OBSOLETE, AS TO SEEM RIDICULOUS...



AND OF ALL THE OUTMODED ARMS OF WAR, THE FRENCH MOUNTED LANCERS SEEMED THE MOST RIDICULOUS...



THE BOCHE VIEWED THE GALLANT HORSEMEN OF FRANCE WITH SCORN, AND DROVE THEM FROM THEIR PATH, AS THE GRAY HORDES OF THE KAISER SWEEP ONWARD...



AT FRENCH MILITARY HEADQUARTERS HARASSED AND WEARY OFFICERS MET TO MAKE DECISIONS WHICH WOULD EFFECT NOT ONLY THEIR OWN INVADED COUNTRY, BUT THE WHOLE WORLD...



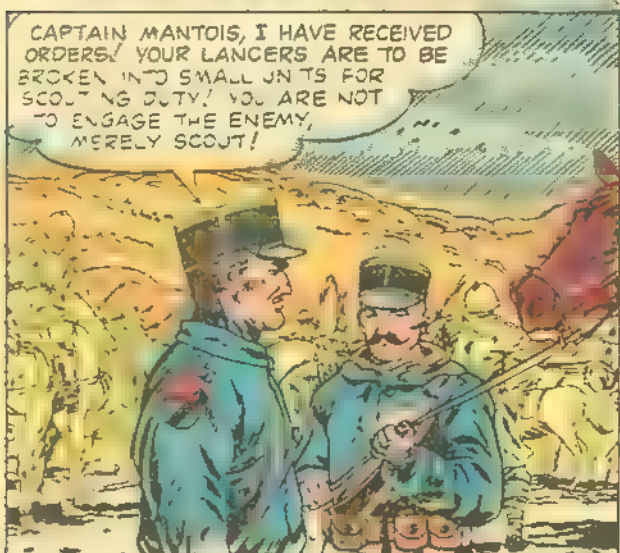
WE CANNOT STAND AGAINST THE NEW MECHANIZED WAR MACHINE... WE MUST RETREAT! BUT STUBBORNLY... DELAY... DELAY... AND MORE DELAY!

DELAY... UNTIL WE HAVE RECEIVED MECHANIZED ARMS OF OUR OWN, TO MEET THEM ON EQUAL TERMS! THEY ARE IN PRODUCTION... HERE, IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA!

WITHDRAW THE MOUNTED LANCERS! USE THEM IN A LIMITED CAPACITY AS SCOUTS, UNTIL OUR MECHANIZED ARMS HAVE ARRIVED!

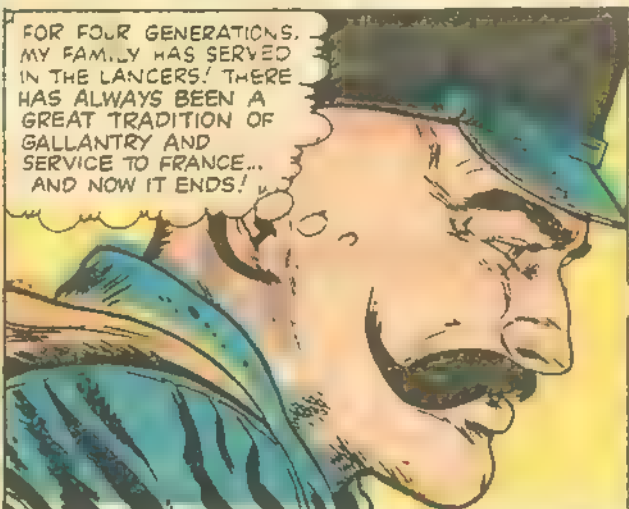


AND ON THE BATTLEFIELD THE PROUD BUT BROKEN LANCERS RECEIVED THEIR ORDERS...

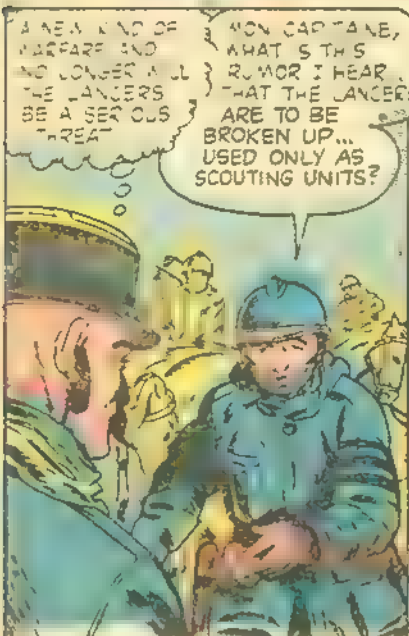


CAPTAIN MANTOIS, I HAVE RECEIVED ORDERS! YOUR LANCERS ARE TO BE BROKEN INTO SMALL UNITS FOR SCOUTING DUTY! YOU ARE NOT TO ENGAGE THE ENEMY, MERELY SCOUT!

SADLY, CAPTAIN JEAN MANTOIS TURNED AWAY! HE HAD SEEN HIS BELOVED LANCERS STOPPED BY A NEW KIND OF WARFARE AND IN HIS HEART HE HAD SENSED THE END...

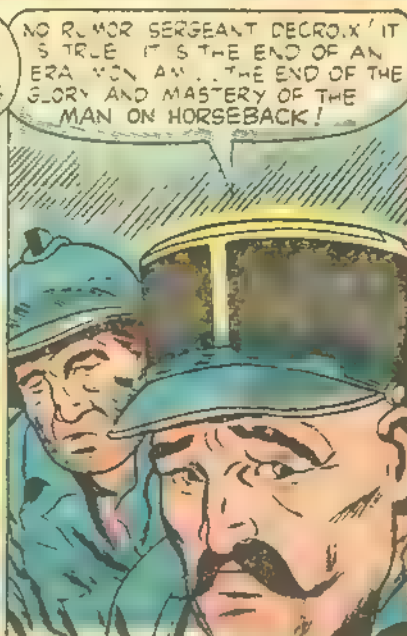


FOR FOUR GENERATIONS, MY FAMILY HAS SERVED IN THE LANCERS! THERE HAS ALWAYS BEEN A GREAT TRADITION OF GALLANTRY AND SERVICE TO FRANCE... AND NOW IT ENDS!



A NEW KIND OF WARFARE AND NO LONGER ALL THE LANCERS BE A SERIOUS THREAT

NO CAPTAIN, WHAT'S THIS RUMOR I HEAR THAT THE LANCERS ARE TO BE BROKEN UP... USED ONLY AS SCOUTING UNITS?



NO RUMOR SERGEANT DECROIX! IT'S TRUE! IT'S THE END OF AN ERA! YOU ARE THE END OF THE GLORY AND MASTERY OF THE MAN ON HORSEBACK!

THE LANCERS IN THEIR NEW ROLE AS SCOUTS, MOVED SWIFTLY, RECKLESSLY SPYING OUT ENEMY TROOP MOVEMENTS AND POSITIONS.



THEN NEW, MECHANIZED UNITS BEGAN TO APPEAR, TRUNDLING TO THE AID OF THE HARD-PRESSED FRENCH FORCES!

WE WILL NOT EVEN BE USEFUL FOR SCOUTING SOON! **THEY** WILL TAKE OUR PLACE...THE PLANES!

THIS IS IT, SERGEANT! WE HAVE BEEN RECALLED TO NANCY! THERE WE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO OTHER COMPANIES! THE MOUNTED LANCERS WILL BE NO MORE!

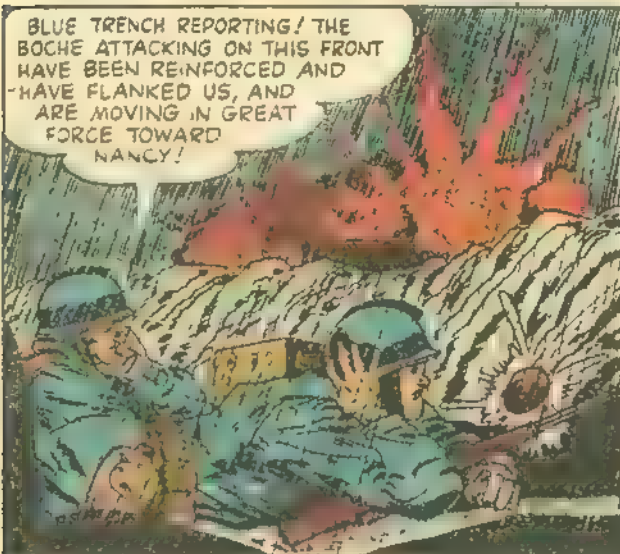
VERY SOON NOW, SERGEANT, THEY WILL CALL US IN FOR GOOD!

DISPATCH FOR CAPTAIN MANTOIS OF THE MOUNTED LANCERS!



WHILE THE LANCERS GATHERED AT NANCY, THE GRAY HORDES OF THE KAISER ADVANCED STEADILY...

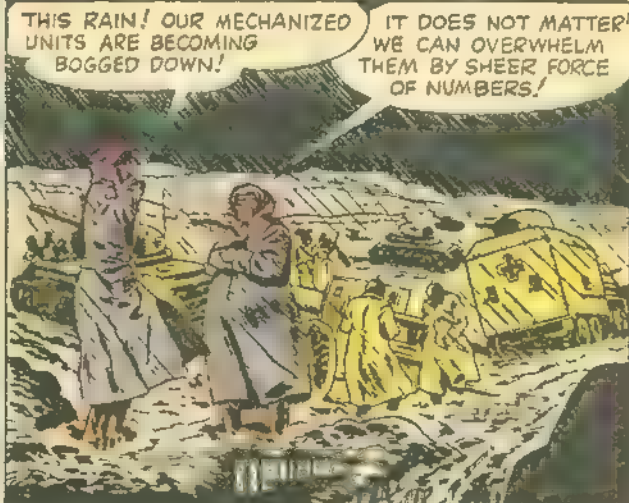
THIS WAS THE MASTER PLAN OF THE GERMAN HIGH COMMAND, TO BREAK THRU NANCY AND ROLL DOWN UPON THE RIGHT FLANK OF JOFFRE'S ARMY, THEN BEGINNING THE OFFENSIVE AT THE MARNE!



BLUE TRENCH REPORTING! THE BOCHE ATTACKING ON THIS FRONT HAVE BEEN REINFORCED AND HAVE FLANKED US, AND ARE MOVING IN GREAT FORCE TOWARD NANCY!

THIS RAIN! OUR MECHANIZED UNITS ARE BECOMING BOGGED DOWN!

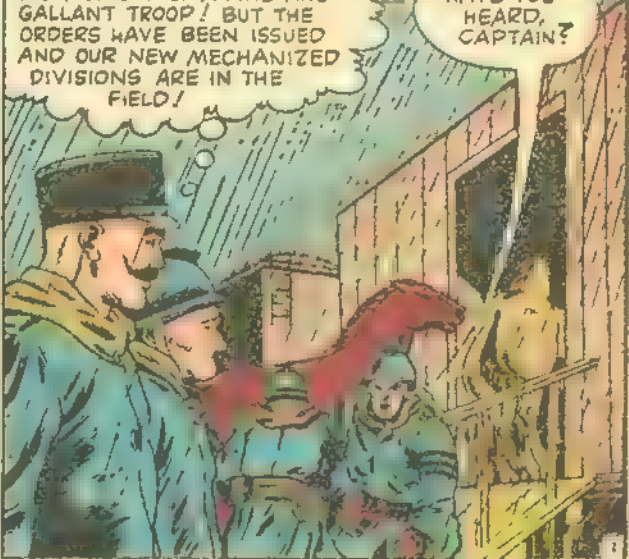
IT DOES NOT MATTER! WE CAN OVERWHELM THEM BY SHEER FORCE OF NUMBERS!



IN NANCY, THE LANCERS WAITED WITH THEIR MOUNTS, AS THE FREIGHTS ROLLED IN THAT WOULD TAKE THE HORSES BACK BEHIND THE LINES!

IF WE COULD JUST STRIKE ONCE MORE AND LEAVE HISTORY WITH THE MEMORY OF A FINE AND GALLANT TROOP! BUT THE ORDERS HAVE BEEN ISSUED AND OUR NEW MECHANIZED DIVISIONS ARE IN THE FIELD!

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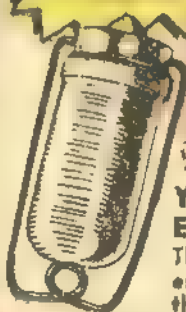
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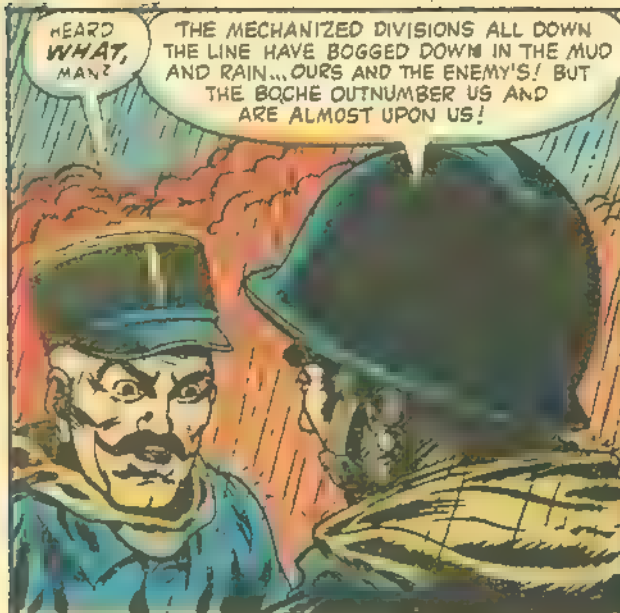
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WHAT,
MAN?

THE MECHANIZED DIVISIONS ALL DOWN
THE LINE HAVE BOGGED DOWN IN THE MUD
AND RAIN... OURS AND THE ENEMY'S! BUT
THE BOCHE OUTNUMBER US AND
ARE ALMOST UPON US!



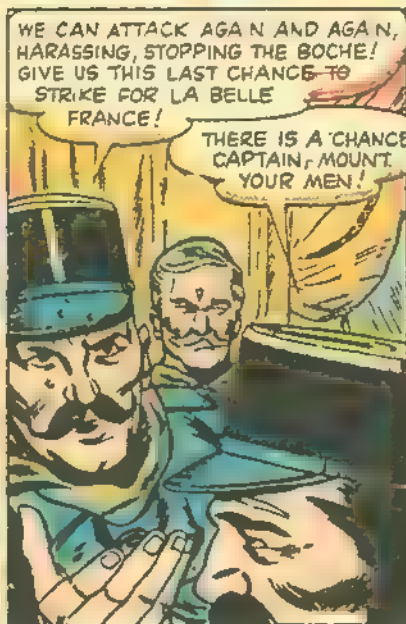
CAPTAIN MANTOIS STRODE
TOWARD THE BILLET OF THE
COMMANDING OFFICER OF
THE NANCY GARRISON...

JOFFRE ISSUES ORDERS THAT
NANCY **MUST** KEEP THE
BOCHE FROM SMASHING
HIS RIGHT FLANK AND
BRINGING DEFEAT! BUT
HOW CAN WE HOLD? YES,
CAPTAIN, WHAT IS IT?

BY YOUR LEAVE S.R. I
HAVE A PLAN WHICH
MIGHT TURN THE
TIDE HERE!

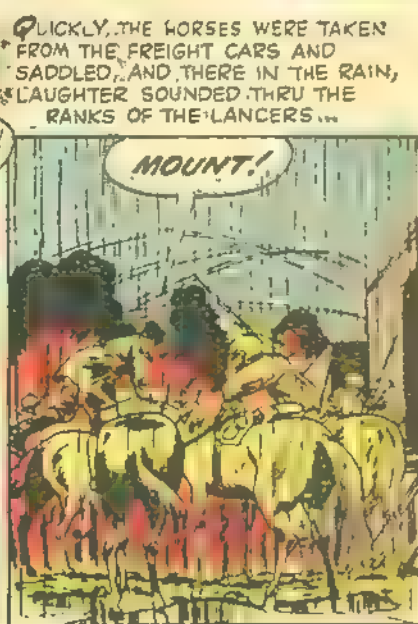


THE ENEMY IS IN GREAT ENOUGH
NUMBERS TO OVERWHELM US! BUT
EVEN THEIR HORDES AFOOT WILL
BE SLOWED BY THE MUD AND
RAIN! ONLY MY LANCERS CAN
MOVE WITH SPEED THRU THIS
RAIN-SOAKED TERRAIN!



WE CAN ATTACK AGAIN AND AGAIN,
HARASSING, STOPPING THE BOCHE!
GIVE US THIS LAST CHANCE TO
STRIKE FOR LA BELLE
FRANCE!

THERE IS A CHANCE!
CAPTAIN, MOUNT
YOUR MEN!



QUICKLY, THE HORSES WERE TAKEN
FROM THE FREIGHT CARS AND
SADDLED, AND THERE IN THE RAIN,
LAUGHTER SOUNDED THRU THE
RANKS OF THE LANCERS...

MOUNT!

THEY MOVED INTO THE NIGHT TOWARD THE ADVANCING BOCHE...



LAVELLE, CIRCLE AND STRIKE FROM
THE LEFT WE MUST BREAK THEIR
RANKS AND DEMORALIZE THEM!
STRIKE QUICKLY AND HARD
AND GET AWAY!

AND FROM OUT OF THAT DARKNESS THEY SWOOPED
SUDDENLY, SMASHING AT THE FLANKS OF THE
SURPRISED ENEMY...



AGAIN AND AGAIN THEY STRUCK OUT OF NOWHERE, SHATTERING THE RANKS OF THE ENEMY...



THE GERMAN ADVANCE STAGGERED TO A STOP. WILDLY THE BOO-HES SHOT INTO THE DARK, SEEKING HORSEMEN IN EVERY SHADOW. BUT NEVER SEEING THE REAL LANCERS UNTIL IT WAS TOO LATE.



DAWN WAS ON THE WAY WHEN A COURIER FROM NANCY FOUND CAPTAIN MAINTON.

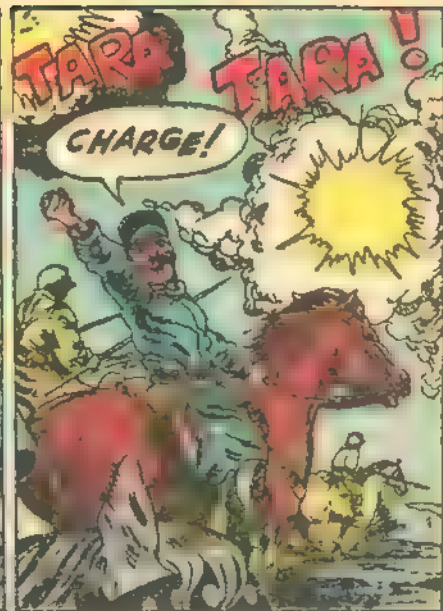
CAPTAIN! ORDERS FROM THE COMMANDING OFFICER! OUR INFANTRY IS FORMED TO ATTACK AT DAWN! COMPLIMENTS OF THE C.O...THE LANCERS ARE GIVEN THE HONOR OF LEADING THE ATTACK!



THE MOUNTED LANCERS FORMED BEFORE THE FRENCH INFANTRY, AND AS THE FIRST STREAKS OF DAWN SHONE THRU THE GRAY RAIN, THEY MOVED FOWARD.

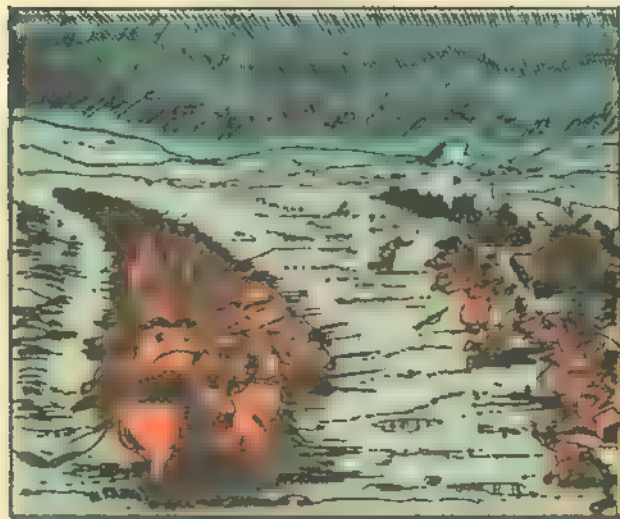


THEN, IN THE LIGHT, THEY SAW THE ENEMY BEFORE THEM...



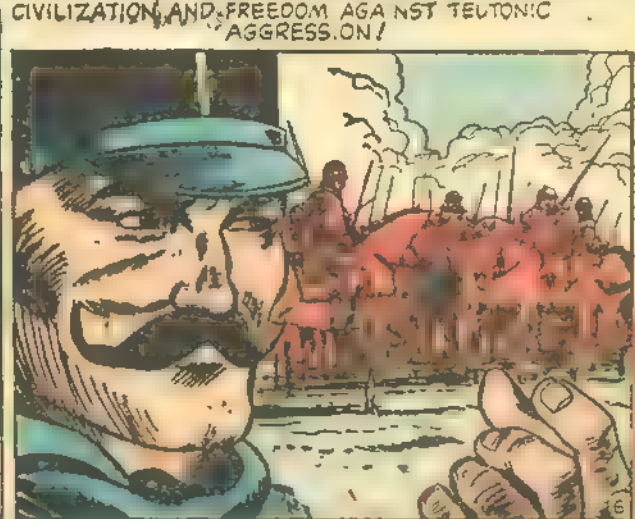
THE LANCERS SWEEPED FORWARD TO STRIKE THE R LAST BLOW FOR THE R COUNTRY! THEY HIT THE CENTER OF THE ENEMY LINE, BROKEN BY THEIR FORAYS DURING THE NIGHT...

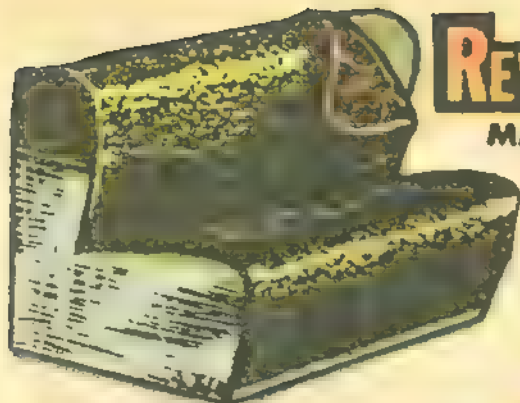
STRIKING WITH SUCH FORCE, THAT THE BOECHE REELED BACK UPON THEIR OWN FLANKS, ADDING TO THE CONFUSION WITHIN THEIR RANKS! MEANWHILE THE FRENCH INFANTRY SWEEPED AROUND THE ENEMY LINES...



THE BATTLE RAGED ON AND THE ENEMY WAS PLUNGED BACK, NEVER TO RECOVER! NANCY WAS SAVED AND THE MOUNTED LANCERS HAD HAD THE R GALLANT VICTORY! HISTORY WILL NOT FORGET THEM...

NO, HISTORY WILL NOT FORGET THOSE GALLANT MEN ON HORSEBACK, FOR HAD THE BOECHE BROKEN THRU NANCY, THE BATTLE OF THE MARNE WOULD HAVE BEEN A DISASTER INSTEAD OF A MOMENT OF TRIUMPH FOR CIVILIZATION AND FREEDOM AGAINST TEUTONIC AGGRESSION!





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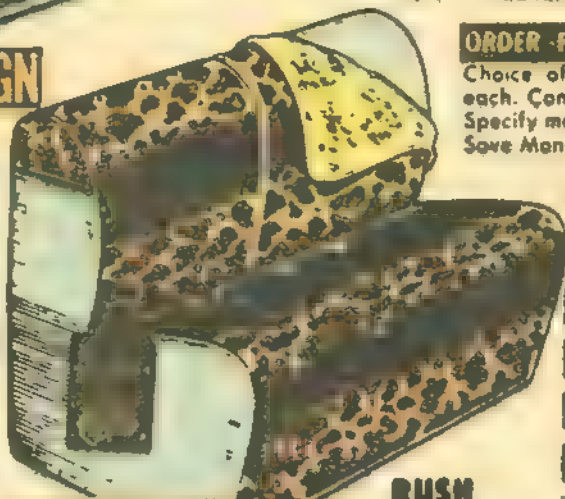
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A GONG sounded from far down the long corridors of carved stone that stretched from the well-hidden entrance to the caves to the council room of the war lords.

Again the gong sounded. Then came the whispered but echoing voices of the guards, each standing at a turn in a passage and each demanding the secret passwords.

For today, the passwords were the question, "Defeat or Victory?"

The mighty Empire that had once dominated a quarter of a continent had been defeated. But its ruler knew that a last attempt at victory must be made. Whatever would happen, his nation would live on.

A tramp of marching feet sounded down the corridor. The escort of guards came into view, bearing torches, enclosing the small group of high officers who had come to report to the Emperor. They halted at the portal of the council chamber and a trumpet brayed out. The officer in command stood aside, allowing his superiors to proceed.

Then the war lords entered the chamber.

It was not very large, not half as large as the Emperor's smallest room in his smallest palace back at the lost capital. But, for the moment, it was the capital itself.

At the head of a long table, the Emperor sat.

The first war lord saluted him and then the rest, having followed suit, sat down. The Emperor nodded his greeting.

"Report," he said, simply.

"What has happened to the outlying cities?"

"Fallen, Your Majesty," the first war lord said.

"And the troops?" The Emperor said, "Did they fight well?"

There was a significant pause. The war lord coughed. Finally he said, "The troops? Well, Your Majesty, they would have fought well, had they fought at all, but . . ."

"My troops did not fight?" The Emperor interrupted.

Again there was a strained silence. The war lord again coughed; he cleared his throat twice before he could continue; a red flush of embarrassment suffused his face.

"They did not fight, Emperor," the war lord said. "The weapons of the enemy were so far superior to our own that our troops simply retired from battle."

It was the Emperor's turn to cough.

"I can not find it in my heart to blame them," he said. Then he placed his hands to his head and removed the golden crown.

The war lords gasped.

"Your Majesty!" One of them cried out. "Do you realize what you are doing?"

The ex-Emperor smiled.

"Why of course," he said. "Since I have no Empire left, I am no longer the Emperor." Again he smiled. "However, your forces still control the south ranges, so therefore, I am still King."

The war lords nodded. The King, they knew, was a very sane and reasonable man. It

was for that reason that he had been Emperor so long, and why he had been respected even by his enemies.

But once more the King was removing insignia. He stripped from his robes the military insignia of commander-in-chief of the army. He threw the metal badges on the table and rose.

"Since I have no army left, I am no longer commander-in-chief."

The first war lord shook his head.

"But Your Majesty!" he protested. "We still have soldiers!"

"The other ones went home," the King said. "So will yours." He looked at the war lords. "There is only one hope for us . . . that we disappear into the south ranges. There we can live as our ancestors did, and in peace. But the Conqueror must not follow us. There will be a last battle."

"A battle without soldiers?" the first war lord said. "Impossible."

"It is very possible . . . or so I have been told," the King said. He clapped his hands. Immediately, a small man clad in silken robes appeared. He bowed to the ex-Emperor and then to the war lords.

The first of the war lords frowned, puzzledly.

"This man is a high priest!" he protested. "How can he win a battle without soldiers?"

The King turned to the small man.

"Explain to them," he said. "Tell them what you told me!"

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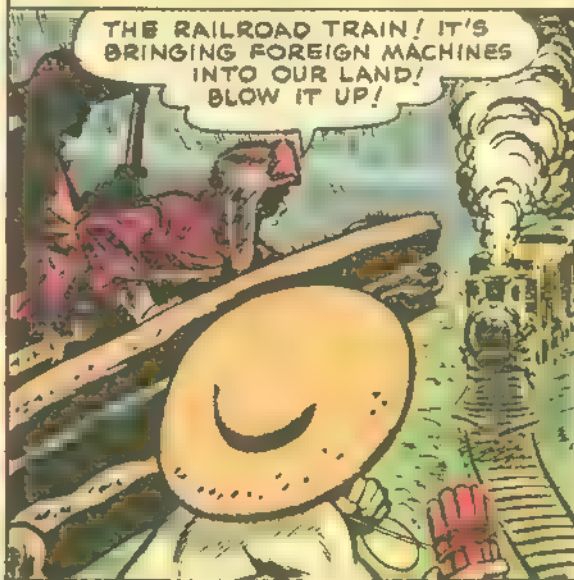
WAR, WHENEVER IT STRIKES, IS NEVER ENTIRELY EXPECTED! BUT WHEN IT STRIKES IN THE STREETS OF A PEACEFUL CITY, THE SHOCK OF IT CAN UNNERVE THE STRONGEST HEART! FOR THEN IT MEANS THAT INNOCENT BYSTANDERS ARE INVOLVED, ESPECIALLY WHEN THE REASON FOR THAT CONFLICT IS...

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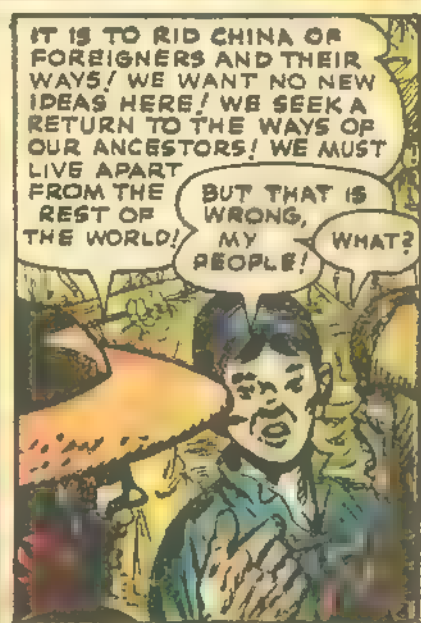
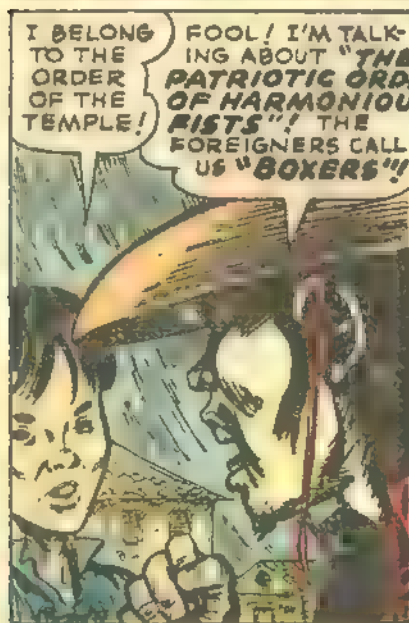
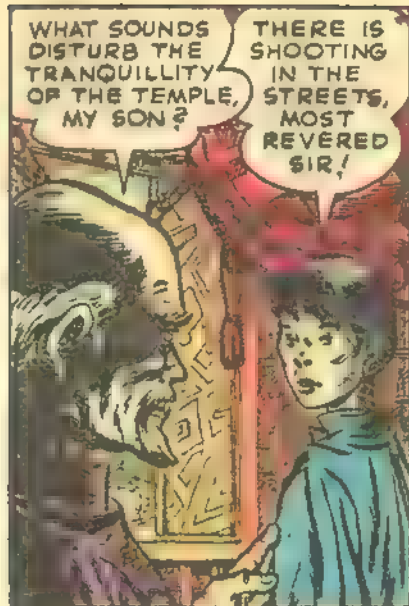
CHINA IN 1898 WAS ADDING STILL AN-
OTHER CHAPTER TO ITS WAR-TORN
HISTORY! THIS TIME IT WAS UP IN ARMS
OVER THE EUROPEANS AND AMERICANS
WHO HAD SETTLED THERE! AND ONCE
MORE THE CHINESE DRAGON ROARED
ITS CRY OF BATTLE!

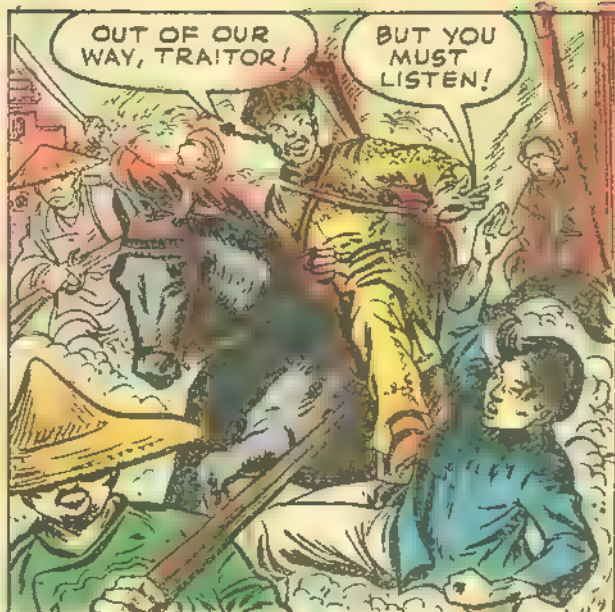


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OF THE FOREIGN
AMBASSADORS!



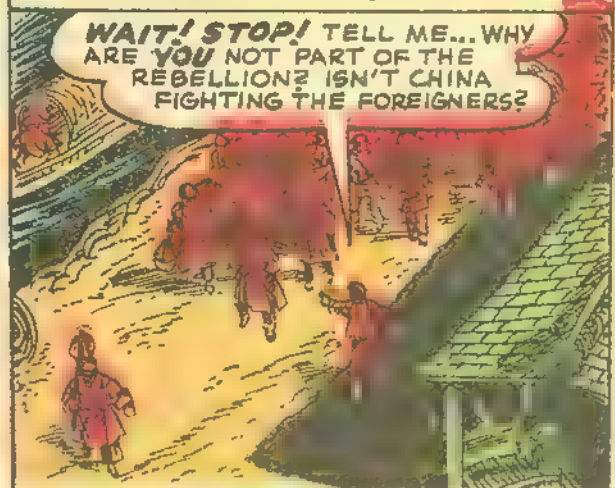




AND SO HEE LOO LEARNED THE BITTER WAYS OF REBELLION! HE SAW HIS PEOPLE STIRRED UP BY FANATIC IDEALS THAT DROVE THEM ON...



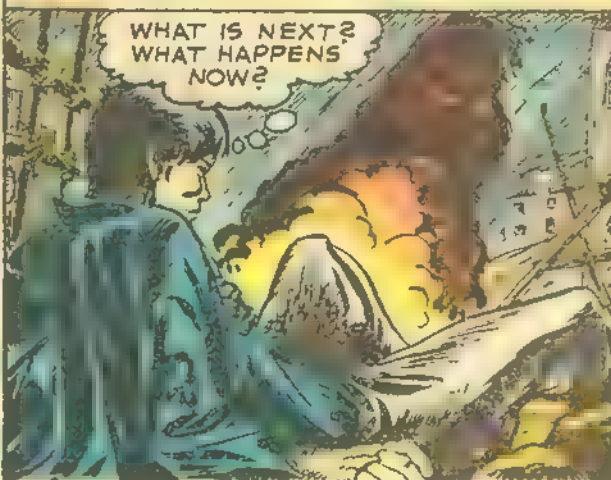
AND THEN HE SAW CHINESE MEN AND WOMEN RUNNING BEFORE THE FEVER OF THE REBELLION, AND HIS HEART WAS EVEN MORE TROUBLED...



WHAT TIME WAS THERE FOR REASON AND PATIENCE, WHEN SOME OF THE PEOPLE WERE BLINDED WITH FANATIC FURY, AND THE OTHERS TREMBLED FOR THEIR OWN SAFETY? HELPLESSLY, THE YOUNG DIVINITY STUDENT MOURNED FOR THE FATE OF HIS LAND, WHEN IT WAS TORN BY EMOTIONS SUCH AS THESE!



AND THEN THERE WAS A GREAT SILENCE! THE TIDES OF BATTLE HAD RUSHED BY HIM AND GONE ELSEWHERE, AND HE WAS ALONE IN THE RUINS! BUT EVEN AS HE WAITED, HE KNEW THIS WAS NOT THE END...



WHAT IS NEXT?
WHAT HAPPENS
NOW?

THEN HE HEARD IT... THE APPROACHING TREAD OF MARCHING FEET, OMINOUS IN ITS STEADY BEAT!



AND, FROM THE OTHER SIDE, HE HEARD SOMETHING ELSE, THE ROAR OF THE ANGRY **BOXERS!**



THE TWO FORCES WERE COMING TOGETHER, AND HE WAS IN THE CENTER!

I CAN RUN! I CAN ESCAPE! WHAT SHALL I DO? HOW CAN I HELP MY CHINA?



I LOVE MY LAND AND I LOVE PEACE! HOW CAN I BEST SERVE BOTH CAUSES? **NOT BY RUNNING AWAY!**



HERE I'LL STAY!

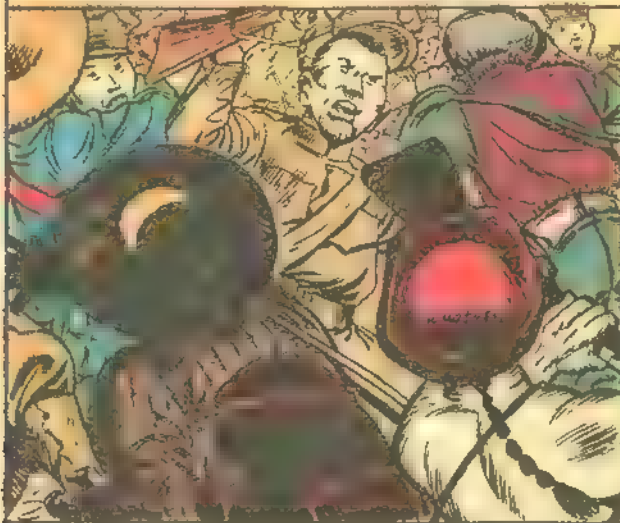


LISTEN TO US! WE ARE A MILITARY ESCORT TO TAKE THE AMBASSADOR TO PORT, SO THAT HE MAY LEAVE CHINA! LET US PASS IN SAFETY!

YOU ARE TRAITORS AND HE IS A FOREIGNER! YOU SHALL **NOT PASS!**



ONCE MORE, THE AIR RANG WITH SHOTS AND SHOUTS, AS THE **BOXERS** ATTACKED THE ESCORT OF THE AMBASSADOR!



WAIT! LISTEN TO ME! YOU ARE ALL WRONG, MY PEOPLE!

OUT OF OUR WAY! YOU CANNOT STOP US!



AND **YOU** CANNOT STOP **PROGRESS!** YOU CANNOT STOP CHANGE! CHINA MUST LIVE IN PEACE WITH THE WORLD, OR SHE IS DOOMED! LISTEN TO ME!

YOU DON'T KNOW WHAT YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT!



CHINA CANNOT LIVE ALONE! SHE MUST LIVE IN BROTHERHOOD WITH OTHER NATIONS! SHE MUST ACCEPT SOME CHANGE AND PROGRESS!

SHUT HIM UP!



YOU CANNOT STILL MY VOICE! I WILL BE HEARD! YOU **CANNOT** HALT THE MARCH OF DESTINY WITH VIOLENCE!

THAT'S ENOUGH!



ONCE MORE, HEE LOO FELL TO THE GROUND! ONCE MORE, THE YOUNG DIVINITY STUDENT WHO HAD EXPERIENCED SO MUCH OF THE TURMOIL OF THE WORLD IN SO SHORT A TIME, WAS SWEEPED ASIDE BY THE TIDE OF BATTLE...

CHINA COULD BE GREAT, IF SHE LIVES IN HARMONY WITH THE WORLD! BUT SHE IS DOOMED IF SHE KEEPS ON **THIS** WAY! CAN'T YOU HEAR? CAN'T YOU UNDERSTAND?



BUT WHO COULD HEAR AND UNDERSTAND ONE SMALL VOICE OF PROTEST AND REASON, IN THE DIN OF BATTLE?



that he produced from under his robes, the little old man explained. When he had finished, the group of military men broke out in laughter.

"But what you propose is impossible!" the first war lord said, chuckling with derision.

The little man replied, gravely, "It is possible. You do not realize that these people know almost nothing of what I speak."

"But their weapons, their technique, most of their science is superior to ours," the other protested. "They are a much older civilization than ours. And yet you tell me that . . ."

"I tell you what I know," the old man said, quietly. "And what I know opens the door to victory, not one that will give the King back his lost empire, but one which will allow us to retire, undisturbed, to the south ranges." He turned to the King. "Your Majesty must have faith in me and in what I can do."

The King nodded.

"I do," he said. Then he glanced at his military men. "I am still your King. There is no hope for us in war by force. But war by strategy, by cleverness, by the knowledge of the mind . . . that kind of war can still preserve our knowledge and culture. I order that this plan be put into effect immediately!"

Silently, the war lords rose, bowed to the King and left. The old man looked at the King. "Do you think they will try it?" he asked.

The King smiled.

"They *have* to try it. Besides, they are loyal," he said. "How much time do we have?"

The little man consulted a chart. "A month at the most," he said. "Then the Conqueror will move his army south to trap us before we can fully escape." He heaved a sigh. "Unless we stop him."

The war lords put the King's orders into effect. By word of

mouth they spread the message that they had been told to spread. It traveled all over the conquered part of the Empire with lightning speed.

At last, the message reached the Conqueror, who sat in the ex-Emperor's palace in the captured capital city. The Conqueror summoned his own war council in great excitement.

"A message has reached me," he began, "that the ex-Emperor says that unless we abandon forever our march south, that he will invoke the aid of his gods against us. To prove that he has the power to do this, he will ask them to give a sign of



their disfavor to us by extinguishing the sun in exactly a week, for a period of half an hour."

The Conqueror's chief general sneered.

"Such things have happened before!" he said.

"Yes," the Conqueror agreed. "But they have never been predicted. A man who can know at what hour the sun will be extinguished is surely a great magician and one possessed of knowledge we cannot understand. Our own King has ordered the march south, but you know that our lines are overextended by far. If the sun is extinguished, it will prove the

King meant what he said, and I can use the excuse to prevent the southward march. We meet here again on the palace roof in exactly one week, at the hour of nine!"

At the appointed time, the war council met again with the Conqueror. The streets of the capital were deserted, for the people had hidden themselves. The generals and the Conqueror stared at the sun for brief intervals. At exactly nine o'clock a shout went up. "The sun! Look . . . it is being obscured!"

The Conqueror watched the sun wane until all was dark; then, after half an hour it reappeared again. Then Francisco Pizarro, Conqueror of Peru, the Empire of the Incas, shrugged. "The ex-Emperor has won," he said. "We will not march south!"

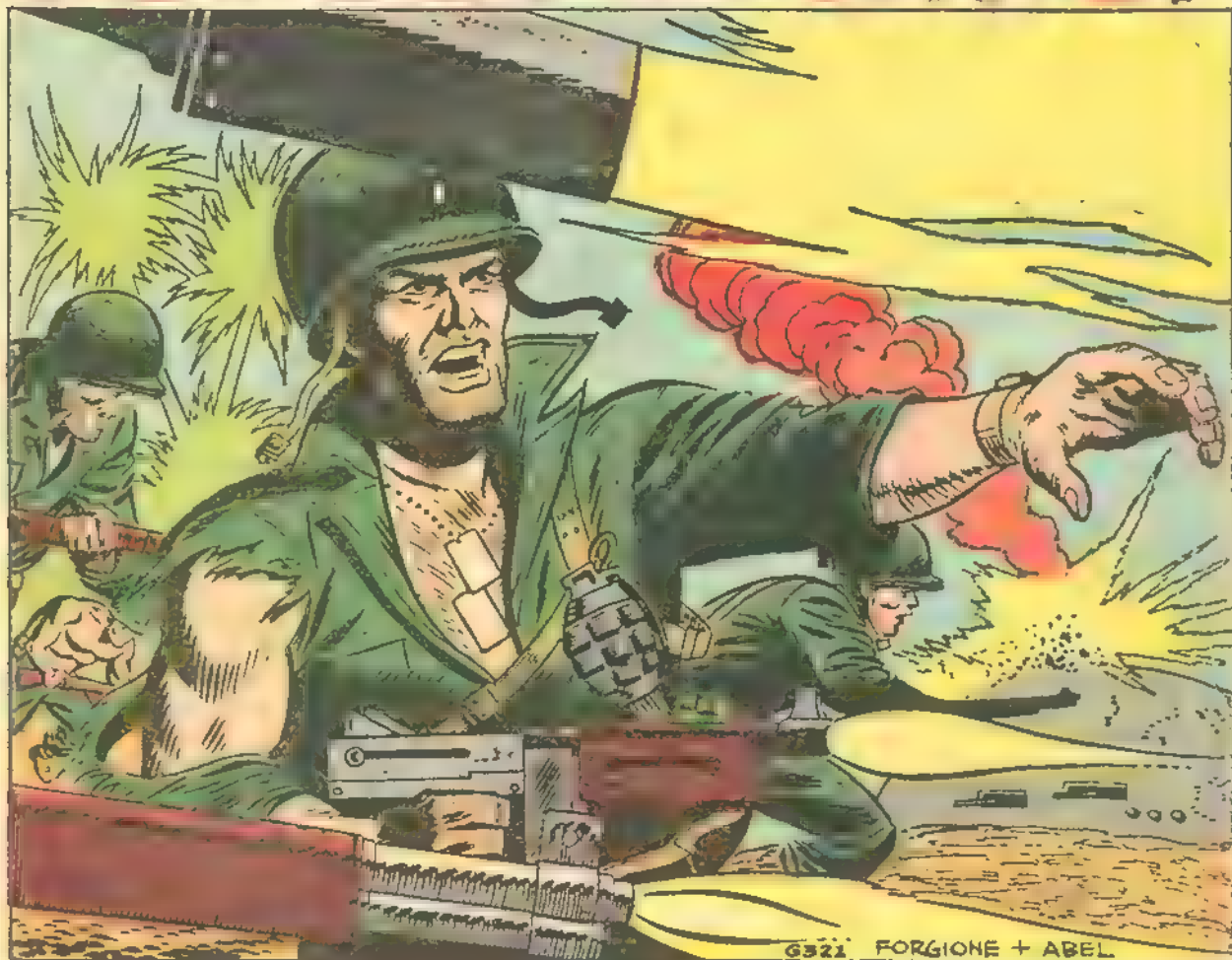
At a pass high in the Andes, the ex-Emperor watched his people pour through a mountain gorge toward the new city of Macchu Picchu where they would be safe from the power of Spain. He shook his head in wonderment. "They believed the story!" he said to the little old man who stood beside him . . . the man who was also the Royal Astronomer.

The Royal Astronomer chuckled. "Yes, they believed it, and our people will escape. Most of the enemy's knowledge is, indeed, superior to ours, but they know almost nothing of astronomy, a science we have known well for hundreds of years. They had no way of predicting as did we, when the eclipse of the sun would occur; they thought that a man who knew *that* could, indeed, invoke the aid of the gods." He paused and sighed.

"Well, I promised you a victory, Your Majesty, and I have given it to you!"

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JACKSON! RICCO! MASLAND! GET AROUND TO THE REAR!



STICK CLOSE TO THE MEN, ROARK! GO BEHIND WITH THEM, WHILE WE KEEP 'EM BUSY OUT FRONT!

RIGHT, LIEUTENANT!

A DOZEN GRENADES WHIPPED IN THRU THE NARROW SLITS OF THE PILLBOX...

POUR IT INTO 'EM!

ONLY SMOKE B.LLOWED OUT OF THE NARROW VENTS AND FIRING PORTS OF THE PILL-BOX...NO SOUNDS OF ENEMY FIRE!

THIS ONE'S DONE! I'LL STAY ON GUARD, JUST IN CASE! YOU GUYS GO HELP THE LIEUTENANT KNOCK OUT THE OTHER ONE!

THE SECOND PILLBOX ALSO FELL SILENT...

FIRST OBJECTIVE GAINED! MILLER, TELL SERGEANT ROARK TO COME HERE!

YESSIR!

WE'LL HAVE TO SPLIT UP NOW, ROARK! YOU TAKE HALF THE MEN AND GET INTO POSITION COVERING THAT JUNGLE STRIP! I'LL GO AROUND FROM THE LEFT!

GOT IT, LIEUTENANT!

HALF OF RED ZERO REACHED A RISE... OVERLOOKING THE JUNGLE... A JUNGLE INFESTED WITH DESPERATE ENEMY TROOPS...

WHEN DO WE HIT 'EM?

SOON AS THE LIEUTENANT SENDS WORD HE'S IN POSITION! MAN, THEY'RE THICK DOWN THERE!

THE LIEUTENANT'S DOWN, SARGE... A SLUG THRU THE SHOULDER!

I'LL GO GEE HIM! YOU GUYS WAIT HERE FOR ME!

IT WAS MILLER WHO BROUGHT THE NEWS...

SGT. ALVIN ROARK GOT THERE TOO LATE! THE MEDICS HAD MOVED THE LIEUTENANT TO THE REAR...

YOU SHOULD'VE SEEN HIM, SARGE! HE WOULDN'T LET THE MEDICS MOVE HIM! HE WANTED TO STAY HERE... STICK IT OUT!

DID HE LEAVE ANY INSTRUCTIONS?

NO! HE KEPT SAYIN' HE'D RUN THE OUTFIT FROM A HOSPITAL COT! WHAT DO WE DO NOW?

DIG IN! WE'LL EITHER GET ORDERS IN THE MORNING... OR A NEW C.O.!

IN THE SMALL, DARK HOURS OF THE EARLY MORNING, A BATTALION RUNNER BROUGHT THE NEWS...

HE'S GOING TO BE OKAY...SAYS HE'LL BE IN TOUCH WITH YOU ALL THE TIME!

LISTEN, HANK... WHEN YOU GET BACK, GIVE HIM OUR REGARDS! TELL HIM WE'LL STAY ON THE BALL AND WAIT FOR HIM!

AT 0400 HOURS, SGT. ROARK INTERVIEWED A REPLACEMENT...

RASKOB, EH? YOU DID A STINT IN THE PHILIPPINES, AND HIT THE BEACH AT GUADAL! LOTS OF COMBAT EXPERIENCE, HUH?

NOT LOTS, SARGE...JUST ENOUGH! ANY ORDERS?

FORGET WHAT YOU LEARNED, RASKOB! THIS IS A TOUGH OUTFIT...A GUNG HO UNIT! OUR C.O.'S IN THE HOSPITAL! DO YOUR JOB AND YOU'LL GET ALONG!

I UNDERSTAND! ANY ORDERS?

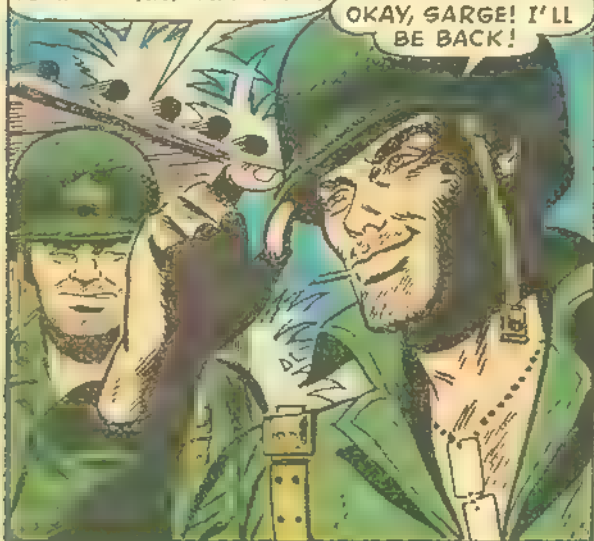
YEAH! I GOT ORDERS FOR YOU! COME WITH ME!

IT'LL BE LIGHT IN ABOUT ONE HOUR! THAT JUNGLE YONDER IS FULL OF JAPS! THEY'VE GOT A FORWARD O.P. DOWN THERE!

I'M LISTENING!

WE'LL GIVE YOU COVERING FIRE! SEE IF YOU CAN GET THAT O.P. OR PINPOINT IT FOR US! YOU CAN JUMP OFF ANY TIME NOW!

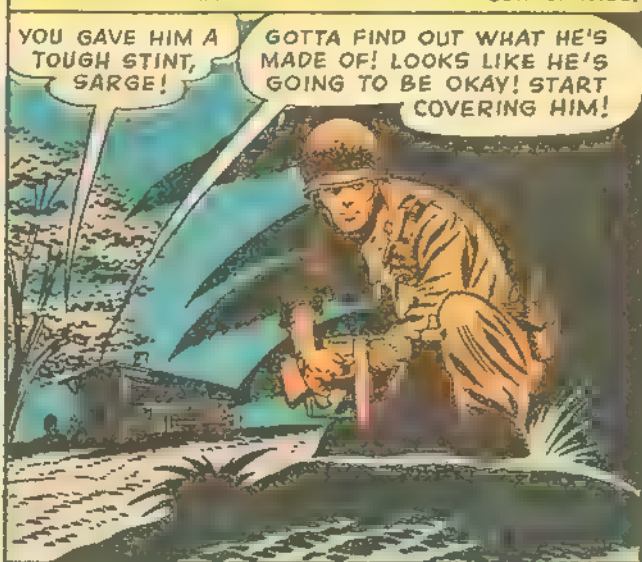
OKAY, SARGE! I'LL BE BACK!



SGT. ROARK WATCHED THE KID LOAD UP AND SLIP AWAY! HE KNEW IMMEDIATELY THAT THE KID WAS JUNGLE-WISE!

YOU GAVE HIM A TOUGH STINT, SARGE!

GOTTA FIND OUT WHAT HE'S MADE OF! LOOKS LIKE HE'S GOING TO BE OKAY! START COVERING HIM!



RASKOB SLITHERED INTO A PATCH OF PALMS AND WAITED! WHEN HE HEARD THE B.A.R.'S AND CARBINES START YAMMERING, HE MOVED OUT AGAIN...

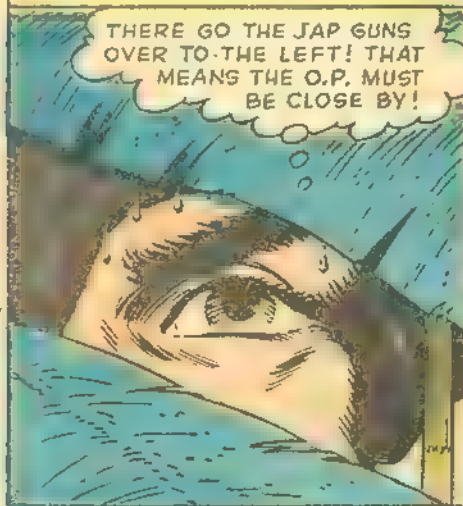
HE GROPED FURTHER AND WAITED! A BUZZ OF SING-SONG VOICES FLOATED TO HIM AND HE KNEW HE WAS CLOSE...

HE WENT UP LIKE A CAT AND THEN PARTED THE FRONDS! A MOVEMENT BELOW FROZE HIS EYES ON A WELL-CAMOUFLAGED DUGOUT...

THERE GO THE JAP GUNS OVER TO THE LEFT! THAT MEANS THE O.P. MUST BE CLOSE BY!

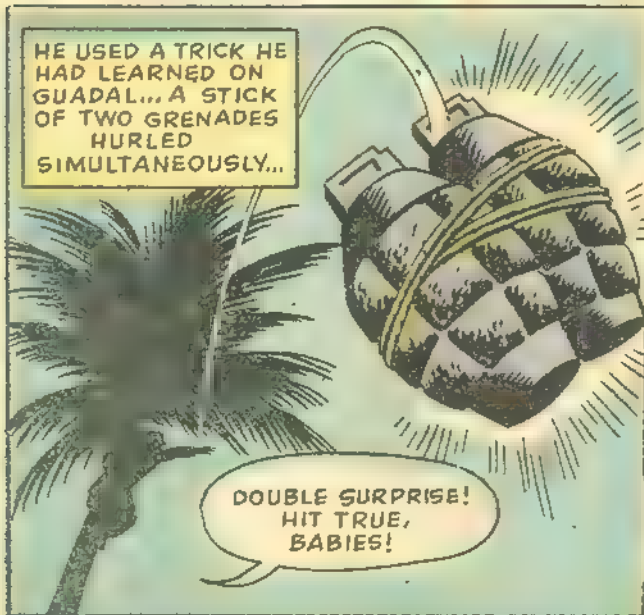
RIGHT ON TOP OF 'EM, BUT THEY'RE DUG IN TOO DEEP TO SEE! I'LL HAVE TO CLIMB UP THIS TREE!

THREE OF 'EM... MAYBE MORE BELOW!

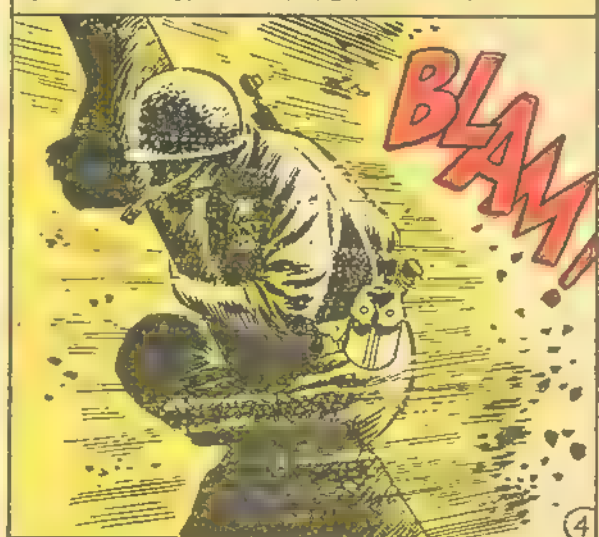


HE USED A TRICK HE HAD LEARNED ON GUADAL... A STICK OF TWO GRENADES HURLED SIMULTANEOUSLY...

DOUBLE SURPRISE! HIT TRUE, BABIES!



HE WAS SKITTERING DOWN THE TREE AS THE TWIN BLASTS SHOOK THE GROUND AND THE JUNGLE ERUPTED WITH JAPANESE FIRE...



I HEARD THE GRENADES! YOU TOLD ME TO GET 'EM BLOW! WHAT'D YOU DO? I DID! CAN I TAKE A BREAK NOW?



WAIT A MINUTE, RASKOB! THERE'S NO TIME FOR A BREAK! RELIEVE CARTER ON GUARD DUTY! HE'S IN A PIT ON THE FAR END OF THE RIDGE!

OKAY, SERGEANT!



THAT'S THE WAY IT WENT WITH RASKOB FOR THE NEXT TWO DAYS...AN ENDLESS CHAIN OF DUTY...

GLAD YOU SHOWED UP, DIXON! I'M DUE FOR SHUTEYE!

I DON'T THINK SO, PAL! THE SARGE HAS A DETAIL COOKED UP FOR YOU!

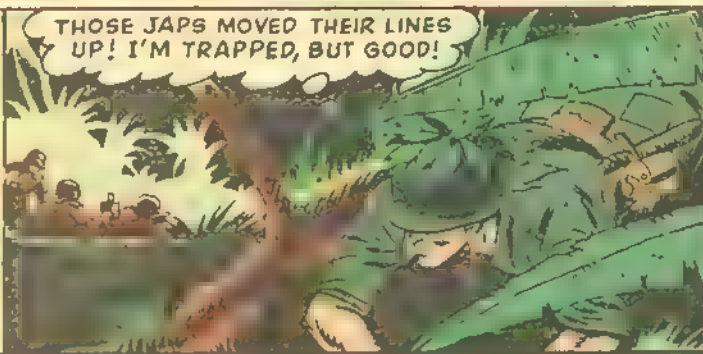


YOU'VE GOT TO PULL A RECON MISSION, RASKOB! I'D PICK SOMEBODY ELSE, BUT YOU'RE THE BEST SCOUT I'VE GOT!

I'VE HAD LOTS OF PRACTICE IN THE LAST 48 HOURS! I'M LISTENING!

HE LISTENED, AND AN HOUR LATER, PRIVATE JOHNNY RASKOB WAS PROBING DEEP BEHIND THE MAIN ENEMY POSITION...

THOSE JAPS MOVED THEIR LINES UP! I'M TRAPPED, BUT GOOD!



SUDDENLY... FROM BEHIND...

I'LL MAKE THEM KNOW THEY WERE IN A FIGHT!



WITH ALL THE SKILL HE COULD MUSTER, JOHNNY RASKOB FIRED AWAY AT THE RING OF STEEL CLOSING IN ON HIM...

I SHOWED THAT RAMROD SERGEANT, AND I'LL SHOW THEM JAPS!



MEANWHILE,
THE
HARDNESS
THAT HAD
SEEMED TO
MOTIVATE
SERGEANT
ROARK
MELTED
INTO
ANXIETY...

WE'RE GOING AFTER THE KID! TANK
SUPPORT IS ON THE WAY! WE'RE
BUSTIN' THRU THE
JAP LINES TO
REACH A BUDDY,
UNDERSTAND!
DON'T LET HIM
DOWN!

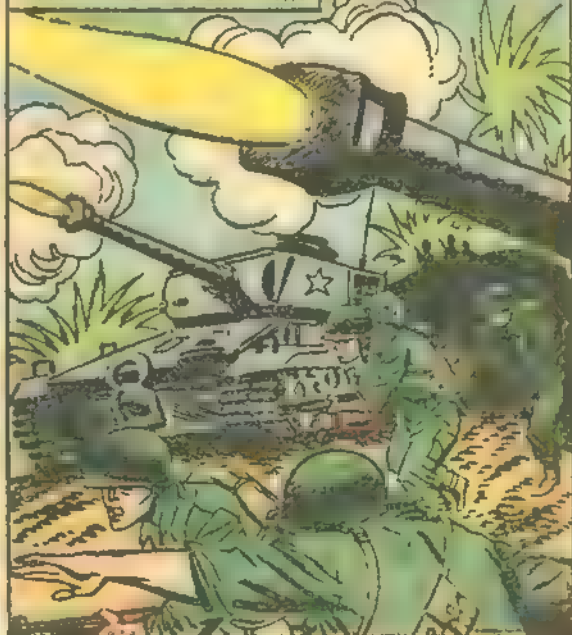


MEANWHILE, PVT. JOHNNY RASKOB HURLED AWAY HIS
LAST EMPTY CLIP AND CLUTCHED A GRENADE...



THIS WILL STOP
SOME OF 'EM!

TEN MINUTES LATER...



EASE OFF,
JOHNNY! YOU GOT
YOURSELF SOME
HELP!

HE DIDN'T HEAR THE THROBBING TANKS
OR THE CRASHING B.A.R.'S...THEY WERE
AROUND HIM WHILE HE STILL HEAVED
HIS GRENADES...



NOW THAT THE PRESSURE'S
OFF SARGE, WHO IN THIS
OUTFIT'S
GOT IT IN
FOR ME?

OUR C.O.!
YOU'RE GOING
TO MEET HIM
SOON AS WE
GET BACK!

LATER THAT DAY, AT A FORWARD BASE
HOSPITAL...

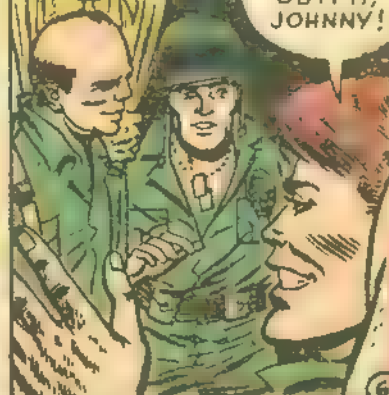
THE KID'S WAITING
OUTSIDE, LIEUTENANT!
HE'S OKAY... THE
BEST WE GOT!
HE TOOK IT
LIKE A
TROOPER!

SORT OF RUNS
IN THE FAMILY,
EH, ROARK?
I'M GLAD THE
BOYS KNOW MY
KID BROTHER
DIDN'T GET ANY
V.I.P. TREATMENT
IN THIS OUTFIT!
SEND HIM IN!

PRIVATE
JOHNNY
RASKOB...
MEET
LIEUTENANT
RASKOB,
OUR C.O.!

BOB! I DIDN'T
KNOW YOU
WERE...

WELCOME
TO THE
OUTFIT,
JOHNNY!



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BEFORE

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AFTER

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